

CONSTITUTION OF BENCHES OF HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND, RANCHI

w.e.f. 08.01.2024

DIVISION BENCHES

1	Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice & Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Anubha Rawat Choudhary	(Monday to Thursday) (Whole day) Friday (1st Half)	LPA [year 2022 onwards]; W.P.(PIL); WPT; T.A.; Tax Cases; Company Appeal; Cases related to Judicial Officers; Cases referred to D.B.; Vires & Validity of Acts and Rules; Cont.(Cvl.); Cont.(Cr.); Cont. (Appl.) ; A.C. (D.B.) :- Orders, Admission, Hearing Special Bench for monitoring cases involving MP & MLA Commercial Appellate Division including all matters arising out of Commercial Courts. Any matter not assigned before any Hon'ble Division Bench. Tied up and Assigned matters
2	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sujit Narayan Prasad & Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pradeep Kumar Srivastava	(Monday to Thursday) (Whole day)	Cr.Appeal (D.B.)[year upto 2017]; D. Ref.; W.P. (Habaes Corpus); W.P.(Cr) arising out of preventive detention; Writ petitions relating to mercy petitions or application for commutation; CAT matters; All matters relating to N.I.A. Act; P.M.L. Act; and P.C. Act ; CMP:-Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied up and Assigned matters
3	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rongon Mukhopadhyay & Hon'ble Mr. Justice Deepak Roshan	(Monday to Thursday) (Whole day)	LPA [year upto Year 2021]; F.A.; All matters relating to Mines(including Minor Mineral); All matters relating to Tender, Auction/E- Auction :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied up and Assigned matters
4	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ratnaker Bhengra & Hon'ble Mr. Justice AmbujNath	(Monday to Thursday) (Whole day)	Cr.Appeal (D.B.).[2018 onwards]; Acq. Appeal (D.B.); Govt. Appeal (D.B.); Petitions filed u/s 389 Cr.P.C. in Cr. Appeal (D.B.); Cr.M.P.(D.B.); Cr. Rev.(D.B.) :- Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up and Assigned matters

SINGLE BENCHES

1	Hon'ble The Acting Chief Justice	(Friday) (After the Division Bench)	Arbitration Matters; S.A. :- Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied –up & Assigned matters
2	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sujit Narayan Prasad	(Friday) (Whole day)	A.B.A; B.A.; WP(Cr); Cr.M.P.; Cr Rev. relating to N.I.A. Act; P.M.L. Act and P.C. Act :- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing WPC (year 2024)- Fresh filing CMP under Article 227 of Constitution of India :- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied –up & Assigned matters
3	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rongon Mukhopadhyay	(Friday) (Whole day)	WPC (year 2024)- Fresh filing Cont. (Cvl.) matters (year 2023 onwards) :- Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied up & Assigned matters .
4	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ratnaker Bhengra	(Friday) (Whole day)	Cr. Appeal (S.J.) (year 2022 onwards) :- Orders, Admission & Hearing. :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up & Assigned matters
5	Sri Ananda Sen, J.	(Monday to Thursday) (Whole day)	WPC [year 2019 to 2023] ; WPC (under Article 227 of Constitution of India :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing.
		Friday) (Whole Day)	WP(Cr) [even number] :-Fresh filing,Orders, Admission & Hearing CMP (Other than under Article 227 of Constitution of India) :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing. Specially assigned old criminal matters Tied –up & Assigned matters
6	Hon'ble Dr. Justice S.N. Pathak	(Monday to Friday) (Whole Day)	WPS [year upto 2015]; WPC grouping (arising out of Arbitration and Conciliation Act); Tr. Petn. (cvl), C.R., A.C. (SB), Testamentary Suits; Probate and Letters of Administration matters :- Fresh Filing. Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up & Assigned matters
7	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajesh Shankar	(Monday to Friday) (Whole day)	WPS [from year 2019 onwards]; Cont.(Cvl.) matters (year upto 2022) :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied up & Assigned matters

8	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Anil Kumar Choudhary	(Monday to Friday) (Whole Day)	WPC [year 2017 & 2018]; Cr.M.P.(year 2021 onwards); WPL ; C. Ref.; Company Petitions; Company Appeals(SJ); Original Criminal Miscellaneous cases (arising out of Company matters); Suits (arising out of company matters) :- Fresh Filing,Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up & Assigned matters
9	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajesh Kumar	(Monday to Friday) (Whole Day)	A.B.A.; B.A. :- Orders, Admission. WP(Cr) [odd number] :-Fresh filing,Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up & Assigned matters
10	Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Anubha Rawat Choudhary	(Friday) (After the Division Bench)	WPC [year 2016] :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied –up & Assigned matters
11	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Kumar Dwivedi	(Monday to Friday) (Whole day)	M.A. (From year 2018 onwards) ; Cr.M.P. (year upto 2020); Cr. Ref. Tr. Pet.(Cr.); All matters related to Fodder Scam :- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied up & Assigned matters
12	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Deepak Roshan	(Friday) (Whole day)	WPS [year 2018] :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission& Hearing. Tied up & Assigned matters
13	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Subhash Chand	(Monday to Wednesday) (Whole day)	M.A (year up to 2017); F.A. (Other than specially assigned matters) :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up & Assigned matters
		(Thursday to Friday) (Whole day)	Cr.Rev. (year 2023 onwards):- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing
14	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Gautam Kumar Choudhary	(Monday to Tuesday) (Whole day)	WPC [year upto 2013]:- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing. Tied up & Assigned matters
		(Wednesday to Thursday) (Whole day)	Cr. Appeal (S.J.) [year 2012 to 2016] :- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing.
		(Friday) (Whole day)	Cr.Rev. [year 2022]:- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing.
15	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ambuj Nath	(Friday) (Whole day)	WPC [year 2014 & 2015]:- Fresh filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing. B.A :- Admission Tied up &Assigned matters

16	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Navneet Kumar	(Monday to Wednesday) (Whole day)	Cr. Appeal (S.J.) [year 2017 to 2021], Acq. Appeal :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied –up & Assigned matters
		(Thursday to Friday) (Whole day)	Cr.Rev. (2018 to 2021) :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing
17	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Prasad	(Monday to Tuesday) (Whole day)	WPS [year 2016 & 2017] :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission& Hearing.
		(Wednesday to Thursday) (Whole day)	Cr. Appeal (S.J.) (year up to 2011) :- Orders, Admission & Hearing.
18	Hon'ble Mr. Justice Pradeep Kumar Srivastava	(Friday) (Whole day)	Cr.Rev. (upto year 2017) :- Fresh Filing, Orders, Admission & Hearing Tied up & Assigned matters
		(Friday) (Whole day)	A.B.A.:- Admission Specially assigned old civil matters Tied up &Assigned matters

- Note :**
1. **ALL MOTIONS FOR URGENT/ ORDINARY LISTING OF MATTERS SHOULD BE MADE BEFORE THE BENCH HAVING JURISDICTION TO HEAR SUCH MATTER AS PER ROSTER.**
 2. **LISTING OF CIVIL REVIEW CASES SHALL BE MADE IN THE COURT OF THE RESPECTIVE HON'BLE JUDGE(S) AGAINST WHOSE JUDGEMENT/ORDER HAS BEEN PASSED. IF THE COURT OF HON'BLE JUDGE IS NOT AVAILABLE DUE TO SUPERANNUATION/ TRANSFER ETC. THEN IN THAT CASE SUCH CASES WILL BE LISTED IN THE COURT HAVING THE REGULAR ROSTER OR THE CATEGORY IN WHICH THE ORIGINAL ORDER WAS PASSED.**
 3. **ALL REGULAR B.A./A.B.A. MATTERS EXCEPT TIED UP (PREVIOUSLY REJECTED) MATTERS SHALL ONLY BE HEARD BY THE REGULAR BENCH**
 4. **ALL MATTERS, EXCEPT TIED UP (PREVIOUSLY REJECTED) MATTERS RELATING TO NIA ACT; P.M.L.ACT & PC ACT LIKE B.A./A.B.A./WP(Cr)/ CrMP/Cr Rev SHALL ONLY BE HEARD BY THE DESIGNATED BENCH/ BENCHES. THIS SHALL COME INTO EFFECT FORTHWITH IN SUPPRESSION OF ALL PREVIOUS OFFICE ORDERS PART HARD OR ASSIGNMENT IF ANY ETC.**
 5. **ALL MOTIONS WITH REGARD TO B.A. MATTERS MAY BE MENTIONED BEFORE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR**
 6. **ALL MOTIONS WITH REGARD TO A.B.A. MATTERS MAY BE MENTIONED BEFORE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH KUMAR**
 7. **ALL CONT(CVL) AND CONT(CRL) MATTERS OF DIVISION BENCH SHALL ONLY BE HEARD BY THE DIVISION BENCH NO.1**
 8. **ALL CONT(CVL) AND CMP MATTERS SHALL ONLY BE HEARD BY THE DESIGNATED BENCH(ES)**